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## **Long Term Care Advisory Committee Schedules Meeting**

BISMARCK, N.D. – The North Dakota Long Term Care Advisory Committee will meet Thursday, December 6, 2012, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the fourth floor conference room of the Gold Seal Building located at 918 East Divide Avenue in Bismarck, N.D.

The North Dakota Long Term Care Advisory Committee is a public/private collaboration composed of nursing facility providers, state agencies, legislators and consumers that focuses on topics affecting long term care in the state.

The following topics will be discussed:

- 1. Opportunity for public comment 10:10 a.m.
- 2. Minutes of the Sept. 27, 2012, meeting
- 3. Standing reports and legislative updates
- 4. Old business
  - a. Long Term Care Oral Health Survey Results
- 5. New business
  - a. Smiles for Life Curriculum
  - b. Department of Health Budget and Legislative Update
  - c. Summary of CMS/Transitions in Care Initiatives
  - d. Medication Assistant I Training Program Workgroup Update
  - e. Discussion/Other

For more information about the Long Term Care Advisory Committee, please contact Bruce Pritschet, North Dakota Department of Health, at 701.328.2352.

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